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Mr. R.A. Sumner, Environmental & Quality Control  
Amoco Petroleum Additives Company  
P.O. Box 182  
Wood River, Illinois 62095

Dear Mr. Sumner:

This inquiry concerns apparent noncompliance with the requirements of the State of Illinois Air Pollution Control Regulations. The apparent violation, based on an inspection of your Wood River facility by Jeff Benbenek on January 24, 1985, is as follows:

...The operation of the processes referred to as Facilities for Manufacturing a Detergent Additive for Motor Oil, as described in Operating Permit #77060022, with the E-430 scrubber shut down. This is an apparent violation of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 201.143, since the above-referenced operating permit was granted based on the use of this scrubber.

Please submit in writing, to the undersigned, within fifteen (15) days of receipt of this letter, the reasons for the apparent violation outlined above, as well as a description of the steps which have been initiated to prevent any further recurrence of the above-cited violation.

Further, take notice that noncompliance with the requirements of the aforementioned may be the subject of enforcement action pursuant to the Illinois Environmental Protection Act, Ill. Rev. Stat., Ch. 111, Sec. 1001 et seq.

Very truly yours,

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

Walter H. Franke, P.E.  
Regional Manager, Region III  
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Henry A. McCandless  
Vice President, Manufacturing

**Amoco Petroleum Additives Company**

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December 6, 1984

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Mr. Jeff Benbenek  
Division of Air Pollution Control Field Office  
Illinois Environmental Protection Agency  
115A West Main Street  
Collinsville, Illinois 62234

Dear Sir:

Insulation of Amoco DEA Line

During the 1983-84 winter, an outage was experienced on Amoco's H<sub>2</sub>S Removal System at the Multi-Purpose Additives Plant. The outage was the result of freezing the circulating DEA line between Amoco and Shell and was reported to your office in a letter dated February 17, 1984. In that correspondence it was promised that the line would be insulated to prevent the recurrence of the freezing problem. We are hereby notifying you of the completion of the insulation work and fulfillment of our pledge.

With extreme cold weather upon us, we are anticipating the additional freeze protection to afford us much more trouble-free operation of the H<sub>2</sub>S Removal System than was experienced the past winter.

Yours truly,

Henry A. McCandless

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